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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Joseph A. Perault et al.  
Serial No.: 10/784,123  
Filing Date: February 20, 2004  
For: METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR CLEANING A STENCIL  
Examiner: M. Crenshaw  
Art Unit: 2854  
Confirmation. No.: 5261

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**TRANSMITTAL**

Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents in connection with the above-identified patent application:

- [X] Response to Office Action mailed December 14, 2004 (5 pgs.);
- [X] Letter to Official Draftsman (1 pg.);
- [X] Replacement Formal Drawings [Figs. 1-8; 5 Sheets]; and
- [X] Return Postcard

The claims have been calculated as shown below:

**CLAIMS AS AMENDED**

	Highest No. Previously Paid For	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
TOTAL CLAIMS	19	19 -	0 x	\$ 50.00	= \$ 0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	4	4 -	0 x	\$ 200.00	= \$ 0.00
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies or overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50/2762, Ref. No. M2010-700219. A duplicate copy of this transmittal is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,



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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED DECEMBER 14, 2004**

Sir:

Before reconsideration, Applicants respectfully request that the application be amended as follows:

**Amendments to the specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 3 of this paper.